It is further recommended that the Chairman of the Caucus be empowered to appoint a committee of three Senators to make a study of the officers and employees of the Senate and report to the Caucus at a later date the number of officers and employees needed for the efficient administration of the Senate.

POLLARD, Chairman. Read and adopted.

#### Oath of Office Administered.

The Chair administered the oath of office to the officers and employees.

#### Appointments Announced.

The Chair announced the following appointments:

T. L. Wheeler, Private Secretary to Lieutenant Governor.

Miss Lucille Crook, Assistant Secretary to Lieutenant Governor.

Chas. Pratt, Messenger to Lieutenant Governor.

Pages.—Elwood Brown (Page to Finance Committee); Maurice Morgan, Martin Wukash, Cecil Tom Labenski, Lamar Zivley, Leon Chudez, Erwin Eilers, Iverson Hutton, Dudley Rugeley, Van Kirkpatrick, Hewett Davis, Robert E. Ledbetter, Earl Phares, Truett Wilbanks, Milton West, Milton Coffee.

Porters.—Jim Jackson, Head Porter; Buck Green, Tom Burton, Sam Grant, Fred Rhambo, Charlie Jackson.

### Committees Appointed

Senator Love moved that the Chair appoint a Committee of three to notify the Governor that the Senate was

organized and ready for business, and a similar Committee to notify the House. The motion prevailed.

The Chair appointed Senators Love, Witt and Hornsby to notify the Governor, and Senators Wirtz, Beck and Cunningham to notify the House.

#### Committee Appointed.

In accordance with the last paragraph of the caucus report, the Chairman of the Caucus, Senator Pollard, appointed the following committee: Senators Hyer, McFarlane and Hardin.

### Committees Report.

The committee appointed to notify the House that the Senate was organized appeared at the bar of the Senate and Senator Wirtz informed the Senate that the committee had performed its duty; and further that the Speaker notified the committee that the House would not be able to organize today on account of the lack of a quorum.

The committee appointed to notify the Governor appeared at the bar of the Senate and Senator Love announced that the committee had performed its duty.

#### Senators Excused.

On motion of Senator Beck, Senators DeBerry, Martin, Woodul, Small, Cousins, Patton, Parr, Woodward, and Stevenson were excused for the day on account of important business.

#### Adjournment.

Senator Holbrook moved to adfourn until Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Senator Pollard moved as a substitute to adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Monday morning. The Chair held that the Senate could not adjourn for longer than three days.

The motion to adjourn until Saturday prevailed and at 11:00 o'clock a. m. the Senate adjourned.

#### SECOND DAY.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, Saturday, July 6, 1929.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a.m. pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by President Pro Tem Gus Russek.

# Roll Call.

The roll was called, no quorum developed, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beck. Hardin.
Berkeley. Hornsby.
Cunningham. Miller.
DeBerry. Neal.
Greer. Parrish.

Russek.

#### Absent

Cousins. Pollard. Gainer. Small. Holbrook. Stevenson. Hyer. Thomason. LOVE Westbrook. Martin. Williamson. McFarlane. Wirtz. Moore. Witt. Parr. Woodul. Patton. Woodward.

On motion of Senator Parrish the senate adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday, July 8, 1929.

#### THIRD DAY.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, Monday, July 8, 1929.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller.

The roll was called, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beck. Miller. Berkeley. Neal. Cousins. Parrish. Cunningham. Pollard. DeBerry. Russek. Gainer. Small. Greer Stevenson. Hardin. Westbrook. Holbrook. Williamson. Hornsby. Witt. Hyer. Woodul. Love. Woodward. McFarlane.

# Absent—Excused.

Martin. Patton. Moore. Thomason. Parr. Wirtz.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Forbes. Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Woodward.

## Petitions and Memorials

(See Appendix)

Committee Reports

(See Appendix)

Bills and Resolutions

By Senator Pollard: S. B. No. 1, A bill to be entitled Committee on Finance.

"An Act making an appropriation of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the general revenue, to pay the per diem and mileage of members, the per diem of officers and employees, and the contingent expenses of the Third Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature of the State of Texas convened on the 3rd day of July, 1929, by proclamation of the Governor; etc., and declaring an emergency.'

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay salaries of judges, and the support and maintenance of the Judicial Department of the State Government for the two year period beginning September 1, 1929, and ending August 31, 1931, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating Two Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars per year or so much thereof as may be necessary for the next two fiscal years for the purpose of promoting the public school interest of rural schools; etc., and declaring an emergency.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 4, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation for the support and maintenance of the State Government for the two fiscal years beginning September 1, 1929, and ending August 31, 1931, etc., and declaring an emergency.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay the salaries of officers and employees of certain elemosynary institutions of the State, and other expenses of maintaining and conducting them for the two fiscal years, beginning September 1, 1929, and ending August 31, 1931; etc., and declaring an emergency.'

Read first time and referred to